

Performance Analysis at Scale using Score-P and Vampir



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It is extremely easy to waste performance!

- Bad MPI (50-90%)
- No node-level parallelism (94%)
- No vectorization (75%)
- Bad memory access pattern (99%)
- In sum: 0.008% of the peak performance (785 gigaflops of Mira)



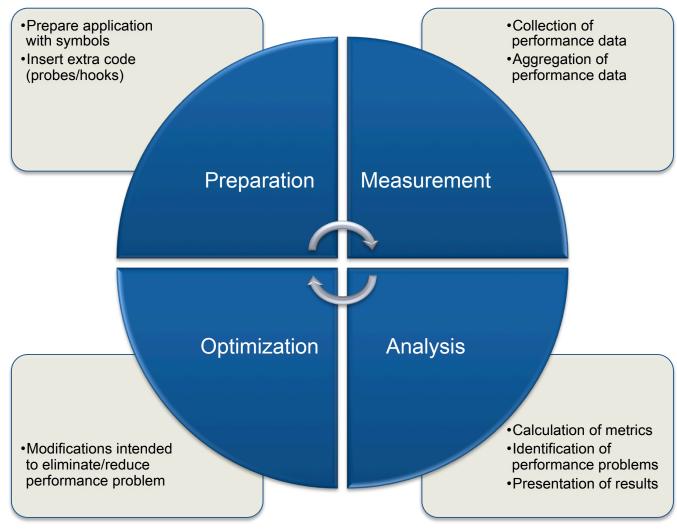


Performance tools will not automatically make your code run faster. They help you understand, what your code does and where to put in work.





Performance engineering workflow





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- Sampling vs. Instrumentation
- Profiling vs. Tracing

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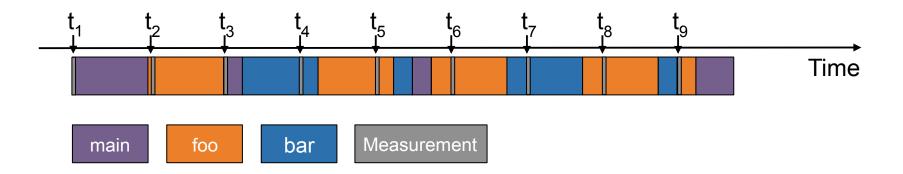
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Sampling

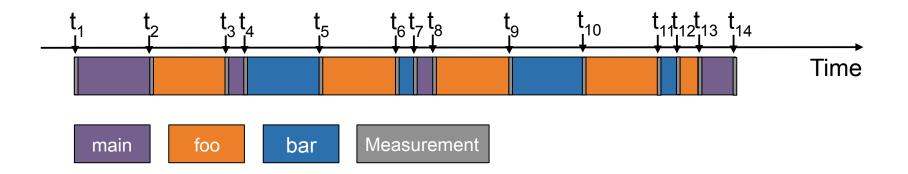


- Running program is periodically interrupted to take measurement
- Statistical inference of program behavior
 - Not very detailed information on highly volatile metrics
 - Requires long-running applications
- Works with unmodified executables





Instrumentation



- Measurement code is inserted such that every event of interest is captured directly
- Advantage:
 - Much more detailed information
- Disadvantage:
 - Processing of source-code / executable necessary
 - Large relative overheads for small functions

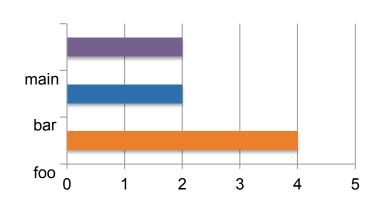


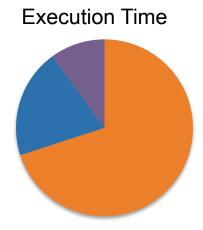


Profiling vs. Tracing

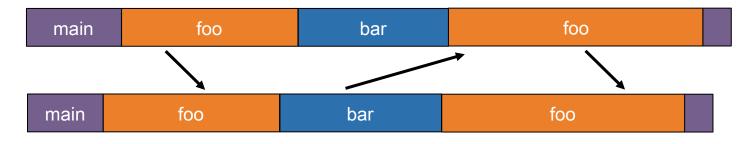
Statistics

Number of Invocations





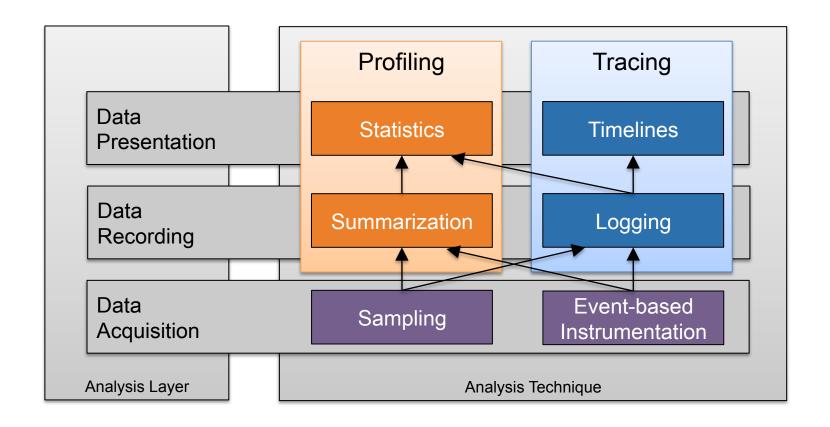
Timelines







Terms Used and How They Connect

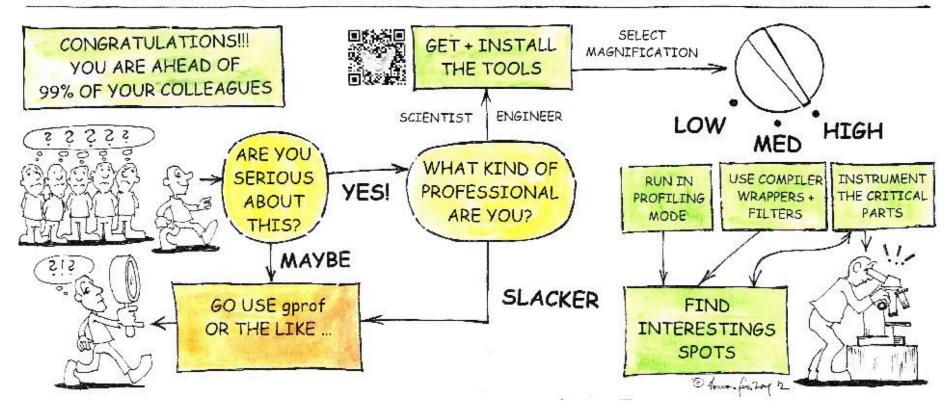






So what is the right choice?

SO, YOU HAVE DECIDED TO UNDERSTAND WHAT A PROGRAM EXACTLY DOES?







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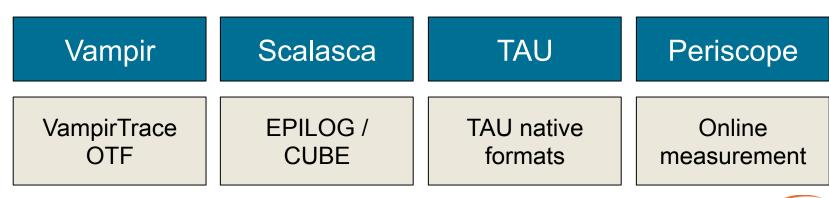
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Score-P: Motivation

- Several performance tools co-exist
- Separate measurement systems and output formats
- Complementary features and overlapping functionality
- Redundant effort for development and maintenance
- Limited or expensive interoperability
- Complications for user experience, support, training

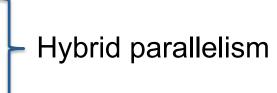






Score-P: Functionality

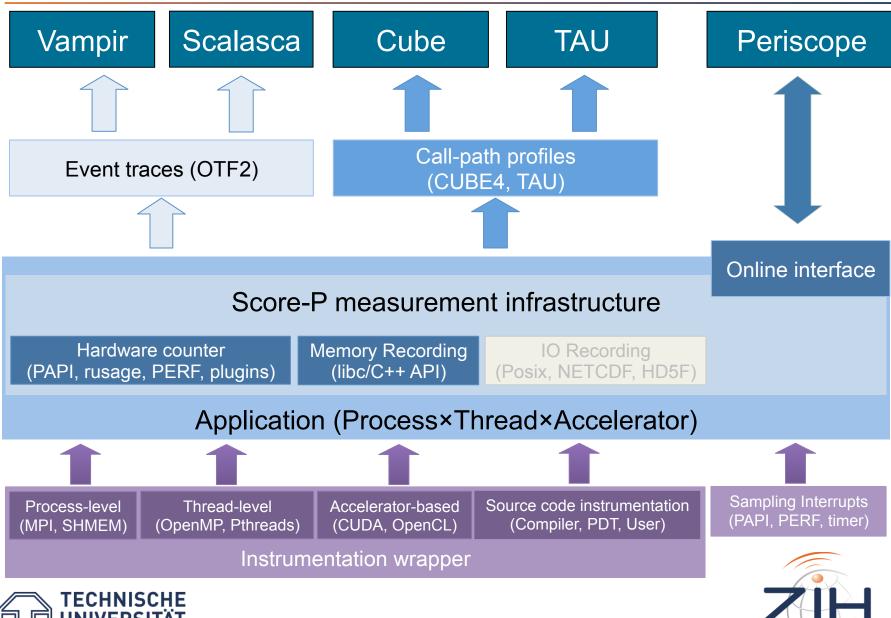
- Typical functionality for HPC performance tools
 - Instrumentation (various methods)
 - Sampling (experimental)
- Flexible measurement without re-compilation
 - Basic and advanced profile generation
 - Event trace recording
- Programming paradigms:
 - Multi-process
 - MPI, SHMEM
 - Thread-parallel
 - OpenMP, Pthreads
 - Accelerator-based
 - · CUDA, OpenCL







Score-P: Architecture







Score-P: General Workflow

- Perform a reference run and note the runtime
- 2. Instrument your application with Score-P
- 3. Create a profile with full instrumentation
- 4. Compare runtime with reference runtime to determine overhead If overhead is too high:
 - → Create filter file using hints from scorep-score
 - → Generate an optimized profile with filter applied
- 5. Investigate profile with Cube
- 6. Define (or adjust) filter file for a tracing run using scorep-score
- 7. Generate a trace with filter applied
- 8. Perform in-depth analysis on the trace data with Vampir















Score-P: Workflow / Instrumentation

```
CC = icc

CXX = icpc

F90 = ifc

MPICC = mpicc

CC = scorep <options> icc

CXX = scorep <options> ifc

MPICC = scorep <options> ifc
```

To see all available options for instrumentation:





Score-P: Workflow / Measurement

Measurements are configured via environment variables

```
$ scorep-info config-vars --full

SCOREP_ENABLE_PROFILING

[...]

SCOREP_ENABLE_TRACING

[...]

SCOREP_TOTAL_MEMORY

Description: Total memory in bytes for the measurement system

[...]

SCOREP_EXPERIMENT_DIRECTORY

Description: Name of the experiment directory

[...]
```

Example for generating a profile:

```
$ export SCOREP_ENABLE_PROFILING=true
$ export SCOREP_ENABLE_TRACING=false
$ export SCOREP_EXPERIMENT_DIRECTORY=profile
$ mpiprun <instrumented binary>
```





Score-P: Workflow / Filtering

- Use scorep-score to define a filter
 - Exclude short frequently called functions from measurement
 - For profiling: reduce measurement overhead (if necessary)
 - For tracing: reduce measurement overhead and total trace size

```
$ scorep-score -r profile/profile.cubex
Estimated aggregate size of event trace:
                                                         40GB
Estimated requirements for largest trace buffer (max buf):
                                                         10GB
Estimated memory requirements (SCOREP TOTAL MEMORY):
                                                         10GB
  [...]
Flt type
            max buf[B]
                             visits time[s] time[%] time/visit[us] region
  [...]
    USR 3,421,305,420
                         522,844,416
                                     144.46
                                                              0.28 matmul sub
                                               13.4
    USR 3,421,305,420 522,844,416
                                    102.40
                                                9.5
                                                              0.20 matvec sub
    USR 3,421,305,420 522,844,416 200.94
                                                              0.38 binvcrhs
                                               18.6
           150,937,332
                         22,692,096
                                      5.58
                                                0.5
                                                              0.25 binvrhs
    USR
                          22,692,096
                                     13.21
                                                1.2
           150,937,332
                                                              0.58 lhsinit
     USR
```

Filter file:

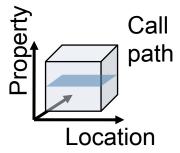
```
$ vim scorep.filt

SCOREP REGION_NAMES_BEGIN EXCLUDE

matmul_sub
matvec_sub
binvcrhs
```

Score-P: Cube

- Profile analysis tool for displaying performance data of parallel programs
- Originally developed as part of Scalasca toolset
- Available as a separate component of Score-P
- Representation of values (severity matrix) on three hierarchical axes
 - Performance property (metric)
 - Call-tree path (program location)
 - System location (process/thread)
- Three coupled tree browsers

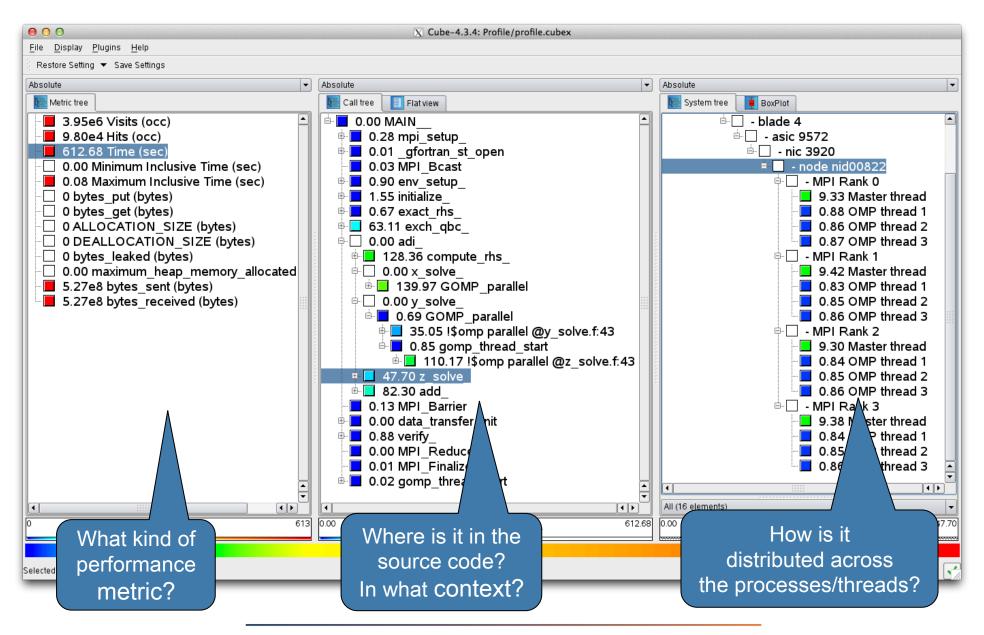








Score-P: Cube Analysis Presentation



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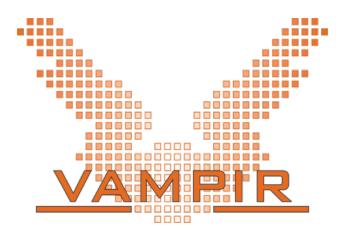
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Vampir: Mission

- Visualization of dynamics of complex parallel processes
- Requires two components
 - Monitor/Collector (Score-P)
 - Charts/Browser (Vampir)



Typical questions that Vampir helps to answer:

- What happens in my application execution during a given time in a given process or thread?
- How do the communication patterns of my application execute on a real system?
- Are there any imbalances in computation, I/O or memory usage and how do they affect the parallel execution of my application?



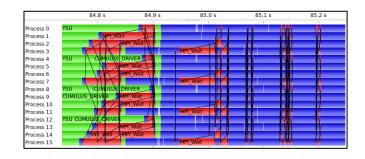


Vampir: Event Trace Visualization

- Show dynamic run-time behavior graphically at a fine level of detail
- Provide summaries (profiles) on performance metrics

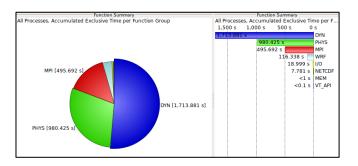
Timeline charts

 Show application activities and communication along a time axis



Summary charts

 Provide quantitative results for the currently selected time interval



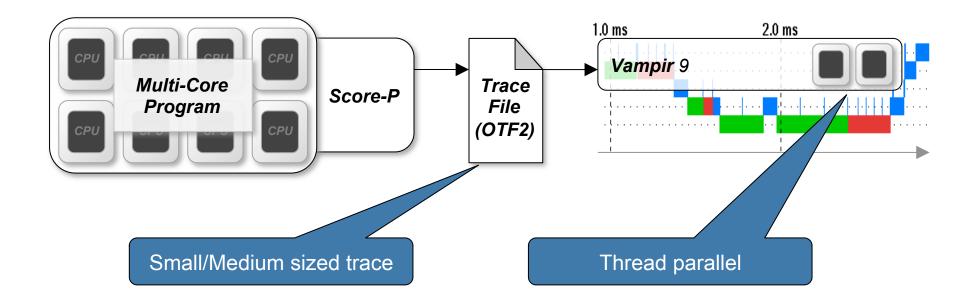




Vampir: Visualization Modes (1)

Directly on front end or local machine

\$ vampir

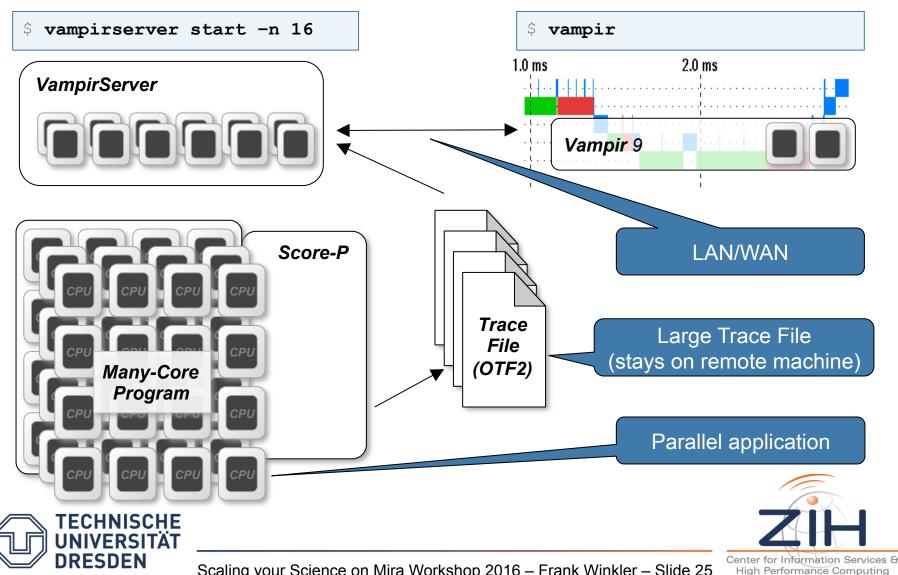






Vampir: Visualization Modes (2)

On local machine with remote VampirServer



Timeline Charts



Master Timeline

→ all threads' activities over time per thread



Summary Timeline

→ all threads activities over time per activity



Performance Radar

→ all threads' perf-metric over time



Process Timeline

⇒ single thread's activities over time



Counter Data Timeline

single threads perf-metric over time

Summary Charts



Function Summary



Process Summary



Message Summary

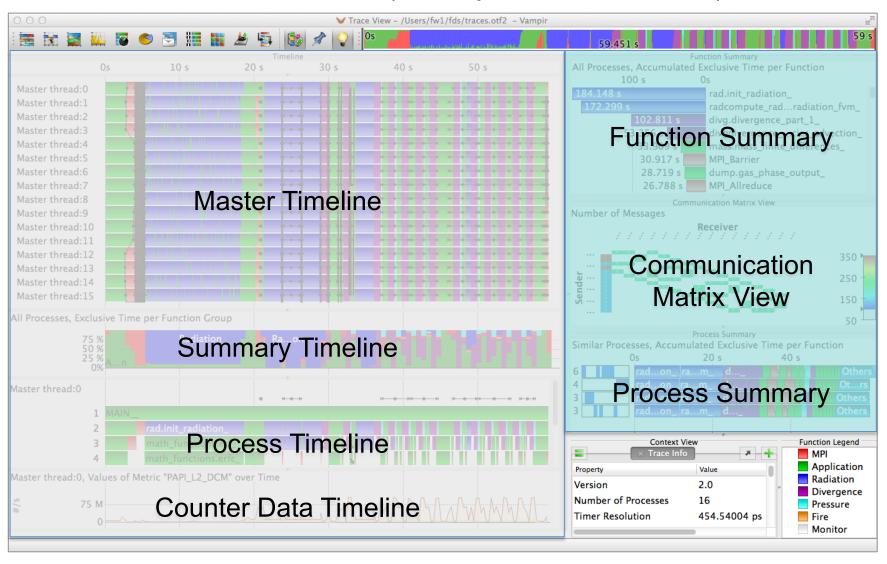


Communication Matrix View

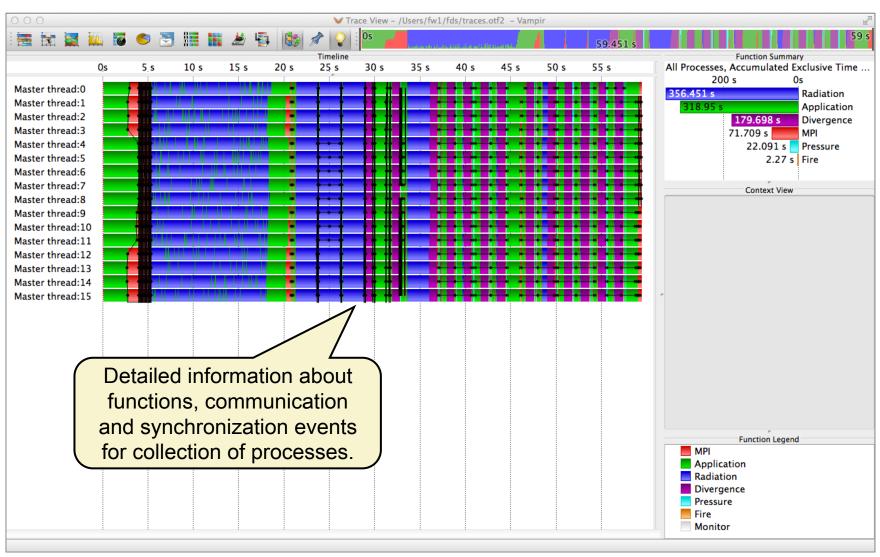




Trace visualization of FDS (Fire Dynamics Simulator)

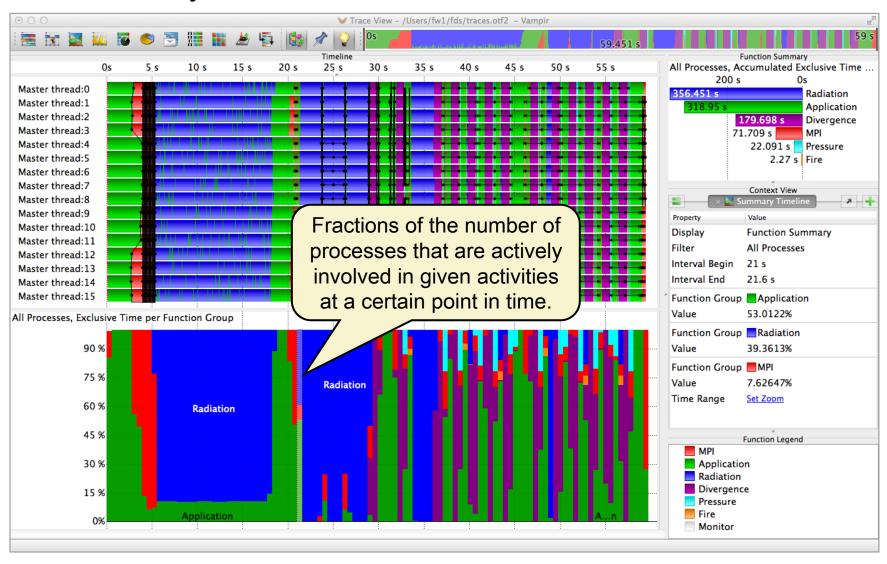


Master Timeline

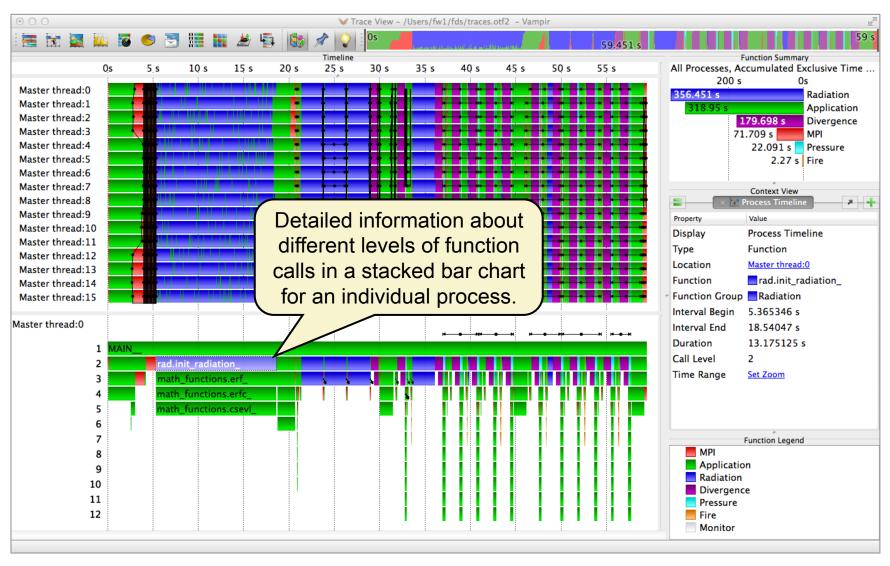


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Summary Timeline

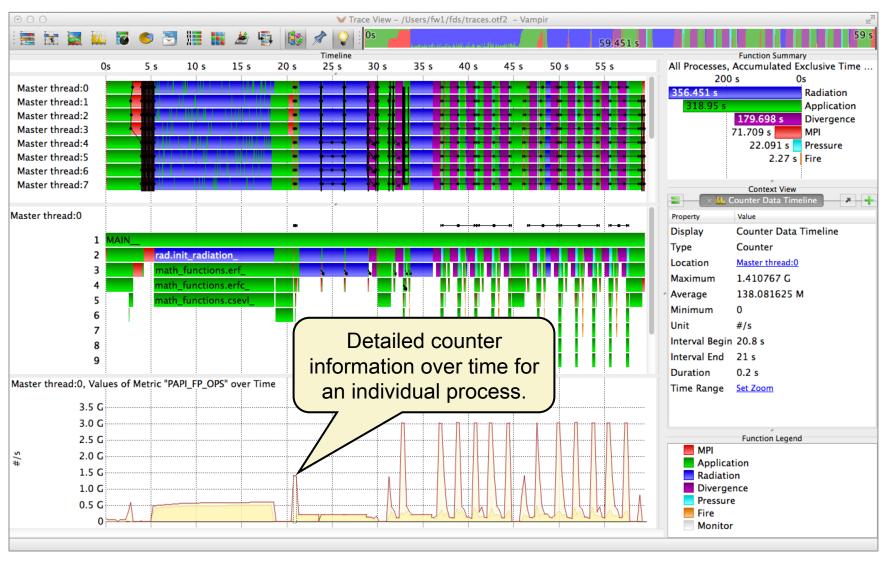


Process Timeline

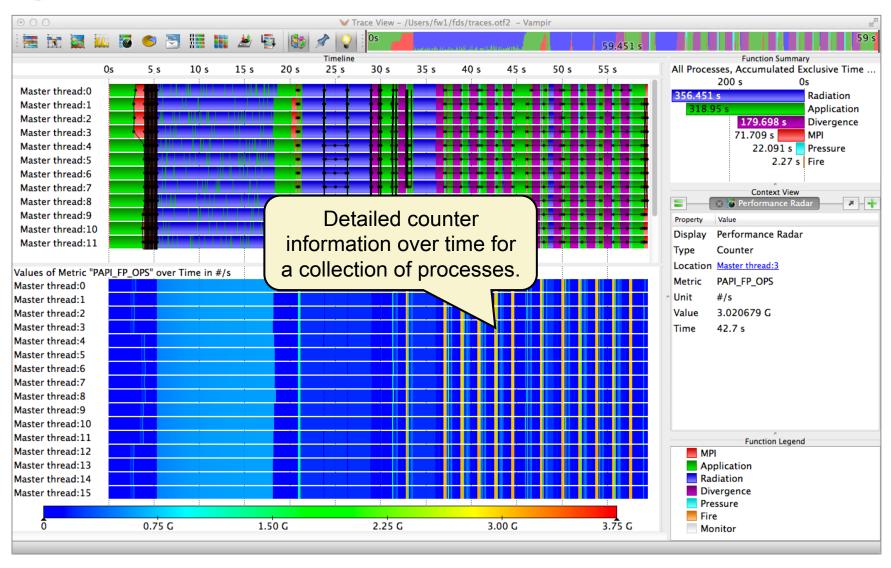




Counter Timeline

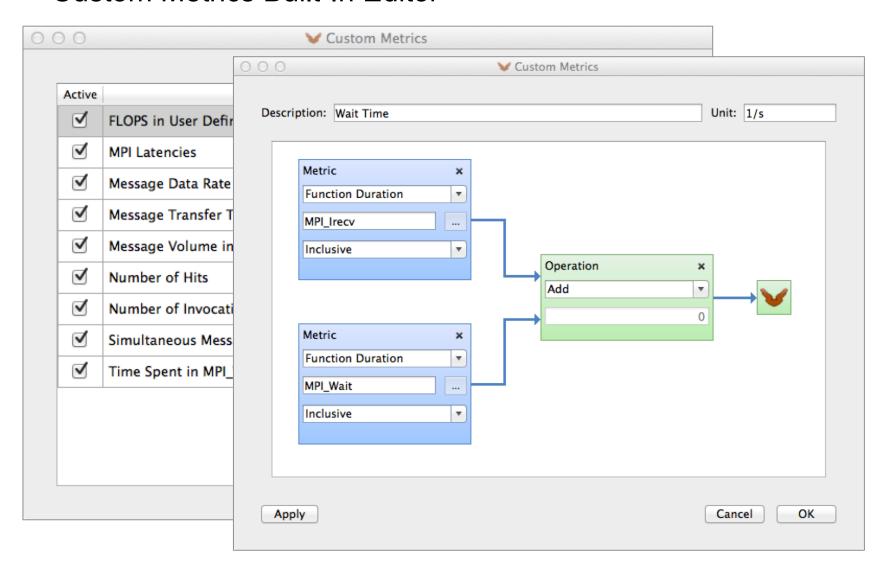


Performance Radar



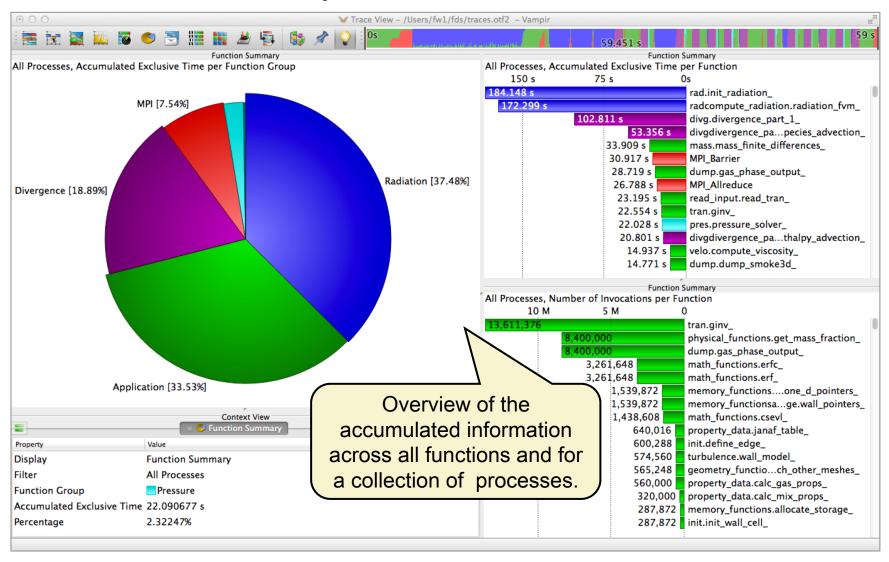
Vampir: Where Do the Metrics Come From?

Custom Metrics Built-In Editor

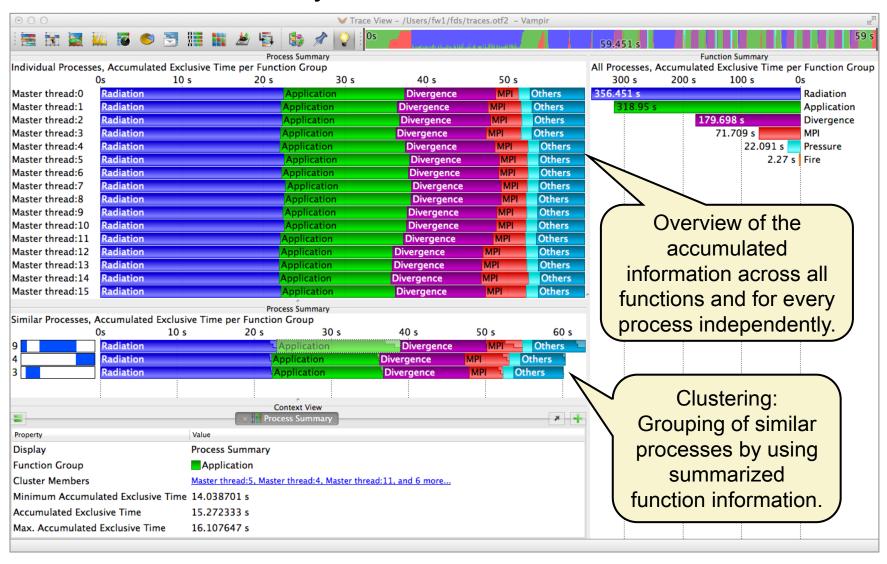


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Function Summary

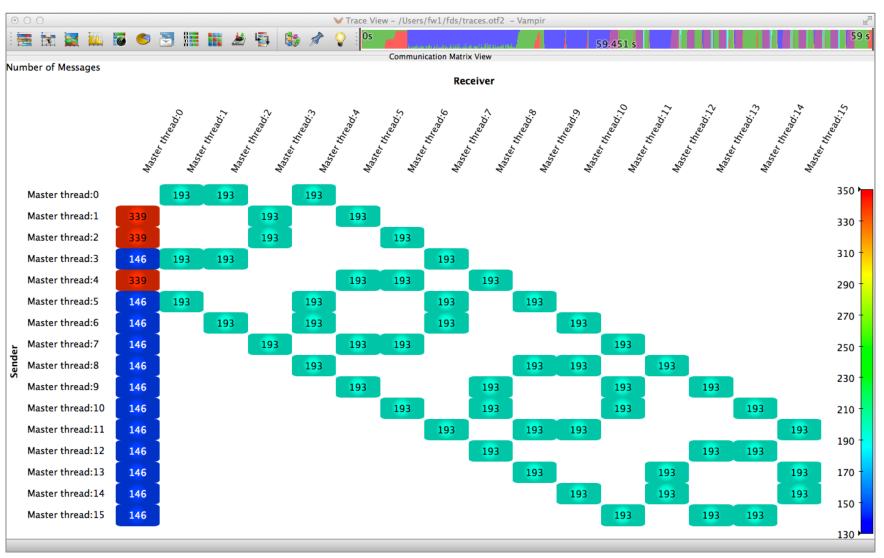


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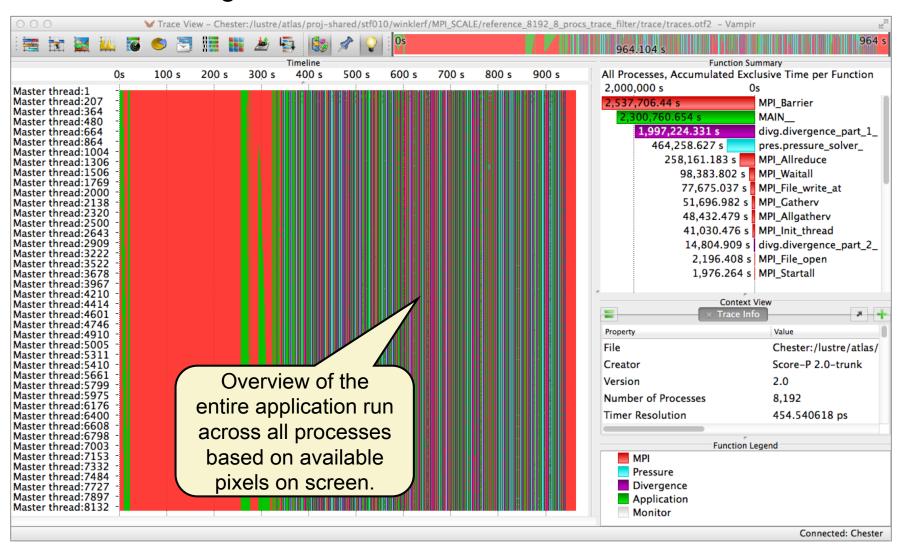


Communication Matrix View



Vampir at Scale: FDS with 8192 cores

Fit to chart height feature in Master Timeline



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Vampir Demo: NPB-MZ-MPI / BT

- The NAS Parallel Benchmark suite (MPI+OpenMP version)
 - Available from: http://www.nas.nasa.gov/Software/NPB
 - 3 benchmarks in Fortran77 (bt-mz, lu-mz, sp-mz)
 - Configurable for various sizes & classes (S, W, A, B, C, D, E)
- Benchmark configuration for demo:
 - Benchmark name: bt-mz
 - Number of MPI processes: NPROCS=4
 - Benchmark class: CLASS=W
 - What does it do?
 - Solves a discretized version of unsteady, compressible Navier-Stokes equations in three spatial dimensions
 - Performs 200 time-steps on a regular 3-dimensional grid





Connect to Mira and add Score-P to the SoftEnv system

```
% vi .soft
+scorep
% resoft
```

Copy sources to working directory

```
% cp /projects/Tools/scorep/tutorial/NPB3.3-MZ-MPI.tar.gz .
% tar xzvf NPB3.3-MZ-MPI.tar.gz
% cd NPB3.3-MZ-MPI
```

Compile the benchmark

```
% make bt-mz CLASS=W NPROCS=4
cd BT-MZ; make CLASS=W NPROCS=4 VERSION=
make: Entering directory 'BT-MZ'
cd ../sys; cc -o setparams setparams.c
../sys/setparams bt-mz 4 W
mpixlf77_r -c -O3 -qsmp=omp -qextname=flush bt.f
[...]
Built executable ../bin/bt-mz_W.4
make: Leaving directory 'BT-MZ'
```





NPB-MZ-MPI / BT Reference Execution

Copy jobscript and launch as a hybrid MPI+OpenMP application

```
% cd bin
% cp ../jobscript/mira/run.sh .
% less run.sh
 export OMP NUM THREADS=4
 runjob -n 4 -p 4 --block $COBALT PARTNAME --env-all : bt-mz W.4
% cat <jobid>.outpout
 NAS Parallel Benchmarks (NPB3.3-MZ-MPI) - BT-MZ MPI+OpenMP Benchmark
 Number of zones:
                   4 x
 Iterations: 200 dt: 0.000800
 Number of active processes:
 Total number of threads: 16 ( 4.0 threads/process)
 Time step
 Time step 20
  [...]
                                           Hint: save the benchmark
 Time step 200
                                           output (or note the run time)
 Verification Successful
                                           to be able to refer to it later
 BT-MZ Benchmark Completed.
 Time in seconds = 2.27
```





NPB-MZ-MPI / BT Instrumentation

- Edit config/make.def to adjust build configuration
- Modify specification of compiler/linker: MPIF77

```
# SITE- AND/OR PLATFORM-SPECIFIC DEFINITIONS
#------
# Items in this file may need to be changed for each platform.
#-----
# The Fortran compiler used for MPI programs
#----
#MPIF77 = mpixlf77_r
# Alternative variants to perform instrumentation
...
MPIF77 = scorep mpixlf77_r
# This links MPI Fortran programs; usually the same as ${MPIF77}
FLINK = $(MPIF77)
...
```





NPB-MZ-MPI / BT Instrumented Build

Return to root directory and clean-up

```
% make clean
```

Re-build executable using Score-P compiler wrapper

```
% make bt-mz CLASS=W NPROCS=4

cd BT-MZ; make CLASS=W NPROCS=4 VERSION=

make: Entering directory 'BT-MZ'

cd ../sys; cc -o setparams setparams.c

../sys/setparams bt-mz 4 W

scorep mpixlf77_r -c -O3 -qsmp=omp -qextname=flush bt.f

[...]

cd ../common; scorep mpixlf77_r -c -O3 -qsmp=omp -qextname=flush timers.f

scorep mpixlf77_r -O3 -qsmp=omp -qextname=flush -o ../bin.scorep/bt-mz_W.4

bt.o initialize.o exact_solution.o exact_rhs.o set_constants.o \
adi.o rhs.o zone_setup.o x_solve.o y_solve.o exch_qbc.o \
solve_subs.o z_solve.o add.o error.o verify.o mpi_setup.o \
../common/print_results.o ../common/timers.o

Built executable ../bin.scorep/bt-mz_W.4

make: Leaving directory 'BT-MZ'
```





NPB-MZ-MPI / BT Summary Measurement Collection

 Change to the directory containing the new executable before running it and adjust configuration

```
% cd bin.scorep
% cp ../jobscript/mira/* .
% less run profile.sh
 export SCOREP ENABLE TRACING=false
 export SCOREP ENABLE PROFILING=true
 export SCOREP TOTAL MEMORY=100M
 export SCOREP EXPERIMENT DIRECTORY=scorep bt-mz W 4x4 sum
 export OMP NUM THREADS=4
 runjob -n 4 -p 4 --block $COBALT PARTNAME --env-all: bt-mz W.4
% qsub -A <projid> -t 10 -n 1 --mode script run profile.sh
% cat <jobid>.outpout
 NAS Parallel Benchmarks (NPB3.3-MZ-MPI) - BT-MZ MPI+OpenMP Benchmark
 Number of zones: 4 x
    [...]
 Time step 200
 Verification Successful
                                             Measurement
                                          overhead too high!
 BT-MZ Benchmark Completed.
 Time in seconds = 12.74
```





NPB-MZ-MPI / BT Summary Analysis Result Scoring

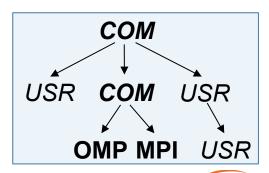
Report scoring as textual output

1 GB of event trace 273 MB per rank!

```
% scorep-score scorep bt-mz W 4x4 sum/profile.cubex
Estimated aggregate size of event trace:
                                                             1025MB
Estimated requirements for largest trace buffer (max buf):
                                                             265MB
Estimated memory requirements (SCOREP TOTAL MEMORY):
                                                             273MB
flt
                       visits time[s] time[%] time/visit[us]
                                                                    region
      type max buf[B]
       ALL 277,799,892 41,157,529 169.38
                                             100.0
                                                              4.12
                                                                    A T<sub>1</sub>T<sub>1</sub>
       USR 274,792,492 40,418,321
                                    71.66
                                             42.3
                                                              1.77
                                                                    USR
       OMP
             6,882,860 685,952
                                     95.52
                                              56.4
                                                           139.25
                                                                    OMP
               371,930
                          45,940
                                    1.51
                                               0.9
       COM
                                                             32.85
                                                                    COM
               102,286
                                      0.70
                          7,316
                                               0.4
                                                             95.39
       MPI
                                                                    MPT
```

Region/callpath classification

- MPI (pure MPI library functions)
- OMP (pure OpenMP functions/regions)
- USR (user-level source local computation)
- COM ("combined" USR + OpenMP/MPI)
- ANY/ALL (aggregate of all region types)







NPB-MZ-MPI / BT Summary Analysis Report Breakdown

Score report breakdown by region

More than 270 MB just for these 6 regions

```
% scorep-score -r scorep bt-mz W 4x4 sum/profile.cubex
 [...]
Flt type
        max buf[B]
                    visits time[s] time[%] t/v*[us]
                                                        region
    ALL 277,799,892 41,157,529
                               169.38
                                        100.0
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                                                        COM
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                        7,316
                                0.70
                                          0.4
                                                 95.39
    MPI
                                                        MPI
                                                        matmul sub
         85,774,338 12,516,672
                                17.61
                                         10.4
                                                  1.41
     USR
                                                  1.57
         85,774,338 12,516,672
                                19.71
                                         11.6
                                                        matvec sub
     USR
                                         17.0
                                                        binvcrhs
         85,774,338 12,516,672
                                 28.85
                                                  2.30
     USR
          7,974,876 1,170,624
                                                        binvrhs
     USR
                                1.86
                                         1.1
                                                  1.59
                                2.94
          7,974,876 1,170,624
                                          1.7
                                                  2.52
                                                        lhsinit
    USR
          3,473,912 526,848
                                 0.67
                                          0.4
    USR
                                                  1.28 exact solution
            410,040 25,728
                                 0.15
                                                        !$omp parallel
                                           0.1
                                                  5.78
    OMP
                                  0.15
                                                        !$omp parallel
            410,040
                    25,728
                                           0.1
                                                  5.83
     OMP
    OMP
            410,040
                        25,728
                                                        !$omp parallel
                                           0.1
                                                  5.73
 [...]
```



42% of the total time, however, much of that is very likely measurement overhead due to short frequently called functions!



NPB-MZ-MPI / BT Summary Analysis Report Filtering

Report scoring with prospective filter listing 6 USR regions

```
% cat ../config/scorep.filt
SCOREP REGION NAMES BEGIN EXCLUDE
hinverhs*
matmul sub*
matvec sub*
exact solution*
binyrhs*
lhs*init*
timer *
% scorep-score -f ../config/scorep.filt scorep bt-mz W 4x4 sum/profile.cubex
Estimated aggregate size of event trace:
                                                             23MB
Estimated requirements for largest trace buffer (max buf):
                                                             8MB
Estimated memory requirements (SCOREP TOTAL MEMORY):
                                                             16MB
(hint: When tracing set SCOREP TOTAL MEMORY=16MB to avoid intermed
 flushes or reduce requirements using USR regions filters.)
```

23 MB of event trace, 16 MB per rank for measurement!





NPB-MZ-MPI / BT Summary Measurement Collection

Generate an optimized profile with filter applied

```
% vi run profile.sh
 export SCOREP ENABLE TRACING=false
 export SCOREP ENABLE PROFILING=true
 export SCOREP TOTAL MEMORY=100M
 export SCOREP EXPERIMENT DIRECTORY=scorep bt-mz W 4x4 sum with filter
 export SCOREP FILTERING FILE=../config/scorep.filt
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 Number of zones:
                     4 x
    [...]
 Time step 200
 Verification Successful
 BT-MZ Benchmark Completed.
 Time in seconds = 3.58
```





NPB-MZ-MPI / BT Profile Analysis

Flat profile analysis with cube stat:

Call-path profile analysis with Cube:

\$ cube scorep bt-mz W 4x4 sum with filter/profile.cubex Absolute Absolute Metric tree Call tree Flat view System tree ■ BoxPlot - ■ 1.63e9 Visits (occ) ⊟... 0.01 bt ⊟-- □ - nic 7984 ⊟... □ - node nid02374 1081.30 Time (sec) ⊕ 🔳 0.03 mpi setup 0.00 Minimum Inclusive Time (sec) 0.00 MPI_Bcast □ - MPI Rank 0 68.42 Maximum Inclusive Time (sec) ⊕ □ 0.00 env setup 0.01 Master thread · □ 0 bytes_put (bytes) 0.00 zone_setup - □ 0.00 OMP thread 1 - □ 0 bytes_get (bytes) - □ 0 ALLOCATION_SIZE (bytes) ⊕ ■ 0.00 map zones - □ 0.00 OMP thread 2 0.00 OMP thread 3 0.00 zone starts ☐ 0 DEALLOCATION_SIZE (bytes) ■ 0.00 set constants . □ - MPI Rank 1 ·□ 0 bytes leaked (bytes) ⊕ G.08 initialize - 🗖 0.01 Master thread □ 0.00 maximum heap memory allocated (bytes) □ 0.00 OMP thread 1 -- 0.00 OMP thread 2 5.27e8 bytes sent (bytes) 0.00 timer clear ⊕ 7.08 exch_qbc ■ 5.27e8 bytes received (bytes) 0.00 OMP thread 3 . □ - MPI Rank 2 🚊 🔲 0.03 adi 🕸 🔲 60.79 compute rhs 0.01 Master thread ⊞ 321.08 x_solve - □ 0.00 OMP thread 1 ⊕ □ 329.34 y solve ... □ 0.00 OMP thread 2 ⊕ 348.59 z_solve -- □ 0.00 OMP thread 3 ⊞- **5**.95 add 0.01 MPI Barrier HE (4 F) All (16 elements) 1081 (100.00%) 0.03 0.03 (0.00%)

NPB-MZ-MPI / BT Trace Measurement Collection

Perform measurement run with tracing enabled and filter applied

```
% cd bin.scorep
% less run trace.sh
 export SCOREP ENABLE TRACING=true
 export SCOREP ENABLE PROFILING=false
 export SCOREP FILTERING FILE = .. / config/scorep.filt
 export SCOREP TOTAL MEMORY=100M
 export SCOREP EXPERIMENT DIRECTORY=scorep bt-mz W 4x4 trace
 export SCOREP METRIC PAPI=PAPI FP OPS, PAPI L1 DCM
 export OMP NUM THREADS=4
 runjob -n 4 -p 4 --block $COBALT PARTNAME --env-all : bt-mz W.4
% qsub -A cprojid> -t 10 -n 1 --mode script run trace.sh
% cat <jobid>.output
 NAS Parallel Benchmarks (NPB3.3-MZ-MPI) - BT-MZ MPI+OpenMP Benchmark
 Number of zones:
                     4 x
   [...]
 Time step 200
 Verification Successful
 BT-MZ Benchmark Completed.
 Time in seconds = 3.49
```





NPB-MZ-MPI / BT Interactive Trace Analysis with Vampir

Download and install VampirClient for target platform

```
# Linux 64bit
$ scp <user>@mira.alcf.anl.gov:/soft/perftools/vampir/downloads/vampir*x86_64-setup.bin .
$ scp <user>@mira.alcf.anl.gov:/soft/perftools/vampir/license/vampir-remote.license .
$ bash ./vampir-*.bin
```

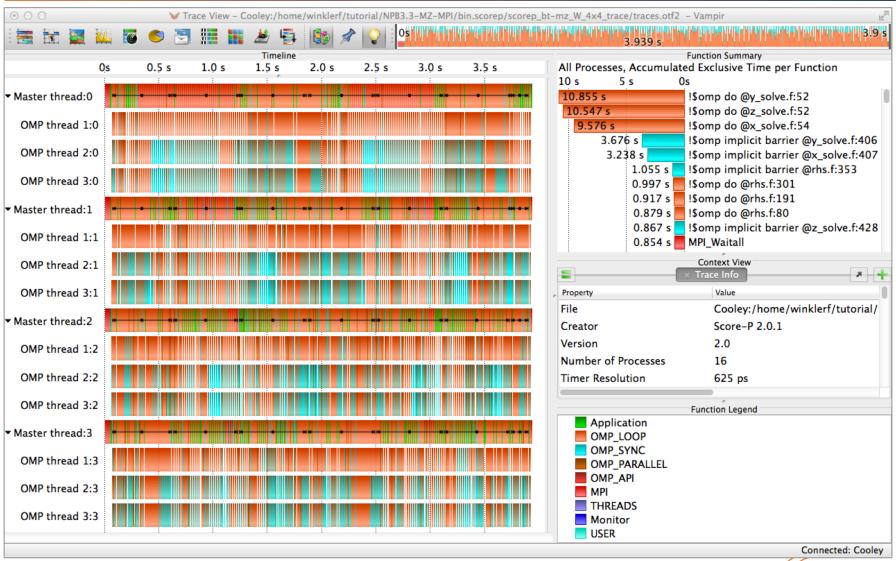
Start VampirServer on Cooley and follow output instructions

```
$ vampirserver start -n 4 -- -A Tools -w 30
Launching VampirServer...
Submitting PBS batch job (this might take a while)...
** Project 'tools'; job rerouted to queue 'prod-short'
VampirServer 9.0.0 (r9950)
Licensed to Argonne NL
Running 3 analysis processes... (abort with vampirserver stop 23286)
VampirServer <23286> listens on: cc123:30097
Please run:
    ssh -L 30001:cc123:30097 <user>@cooley.alcf.anl.gov
on your desktop to create ssh tunnel to VampirServer.
Start vampir on your desktop and choose 'Open Other -> Remote File'
    Description: cooley, Server: localhost,
                                                Port: 30001
    Authentication: None
    Connection type: Socket
    Ignore "More Options"
```





NPB-MZ-MPI / BT Trace Analysis with Vampir





Agenda

Performance Analysis Approaches

- Sampling vs. Instrumentation
- Profiling vs. Tracing

Score-P: Scalable Performance Measurement Infrastructure for Parallel Codes

- Architecture
- Workflow
- Cube

Vampir: Event Trace Visualization

- Mission
- Visualization Modes
- Performance Charts

Demo

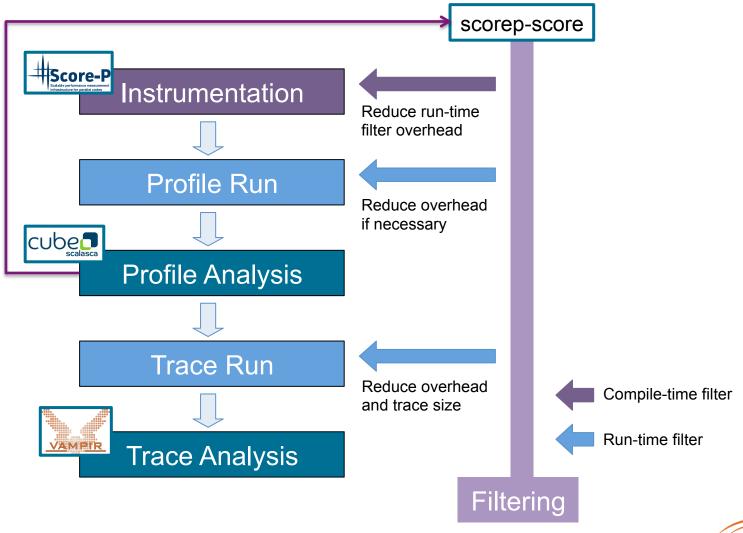
Performance Analysis of NPB-MZ-MPI / BT on Mira

Conclusions





Conclusions: Score-P Workflow





Conclusions

Score-P

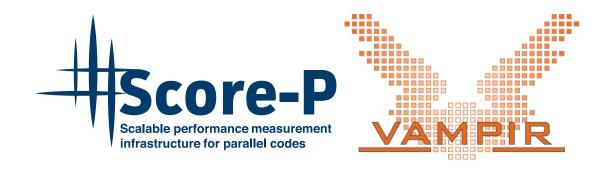
- Common instrumentation and measurement infrastructure for various analysis tools
- Hides away complicated details
- Provides many options and switches for experts

Vampir & VampirServer

- Interactive event trace visualization and analysis
- Intuitive browsing and zooming
- Scalable to large trace data sizes (20 TByte)
- Scalable to high parallelism (200000 processes)
- Vampir for Linux, Windows and Mac OS







Score-P is available at:

http://www.vi-hps.org/projects/score-p

Get support via support@score-p.org

Vampir is available at http://www.vampir.eu Get support via vampirsupport@zih.tu-dresden.de





Score-P: Workflow / Advanced Instrumentation

 For CMake and autotools based build systems it is recommended to use the scorep-wrapper script instances

```
#CMake instrumentation

SCOREP_WRAPPER=OFF cmake .. \
-DCMAKE_C_COMPILER=scorep-icc \
-DCMAKE_CXX_COMPILER=scorep-icpc \
-DCMAKE_Fortran_COMPILER=scorep-ifc
```

```
#Autotools

SCOREP_WRAPPER=OFF ../configure \
CC=scorep-icc \
CXX=scorep-icpc \
FC=scorep-ifc \
--disable-dependency-tracking
```

Pass instrumentation and compiler flags at make

```
make scorep_wrapper_instrumenter_flags="--user" \
scorep_wrapper_compiler_flags="-g -02"
scorep --user <your_compiler> -g -02
```





Score-P Advanced Features: Metrics

Available PAPI metrics

 Preset events: common set of events deemed relevant and useful for application performance tuning

```
$ papi_avail
```

Native events: set of all events that are available on the CPU (platform dependent)

```
$ papi_native_avail
```

Available resource usage metrics

```
$ man getrusage
[... Output ...]

struct rusage {
   struct timeval ru_utime; /* user CPU time used */
   struct timeval ru_stime; /* system CPU time used */
   [... More output ...]
```





Score-P Advanced Features: Metrics (2)

Recording hardware counters via PAPI

```
$ export SCOREP_METRIC_PAPI=PAPI_TOT_INS,PAPI_FP_INS
```

Recording operating system resource usage

```
$ export SCOREP_METRIC_RUSAGE=ru_maxrss,ru_stime
```





Score-P Advanced Features: Sampling

- Alternative to compiler instrumentation to generate profiles or traces
- Regulate the trade-off between overhead and correctness
- Libunwind/1.1 to capture current stack
- Sampling interrupt sources:
 - Interval timer
 - PAPI
 - Perf
- Example for enabling sampling for measurement run:

```
$ export SCOREP_ENABLE_UNWINDING=true
$ export SCOREP_SAMPLING_EVENTS=PAPI_TOT_CYC@1000000
```





Score-P Advanced Features: Memory Recording

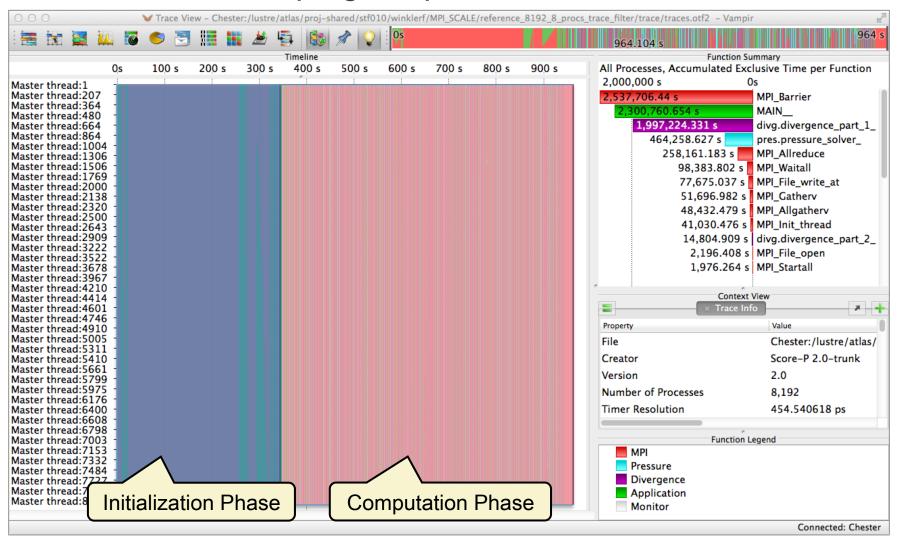
- Memory (de)allocations are recorded via the libc/C++ API
- Recording of memory location's call-site in sampling mode
 - Debugging symbols required (-g)
- Interplay of memory usage and application's execution
 - CUBE: (De)allocation size, maximum heap memory, leaked bytes
 - Vampir: Memory usage in "Counter Timelines"
- Enabling memory recording for measurement run:

\$ export SCOREP MEMORY RECORDING=true

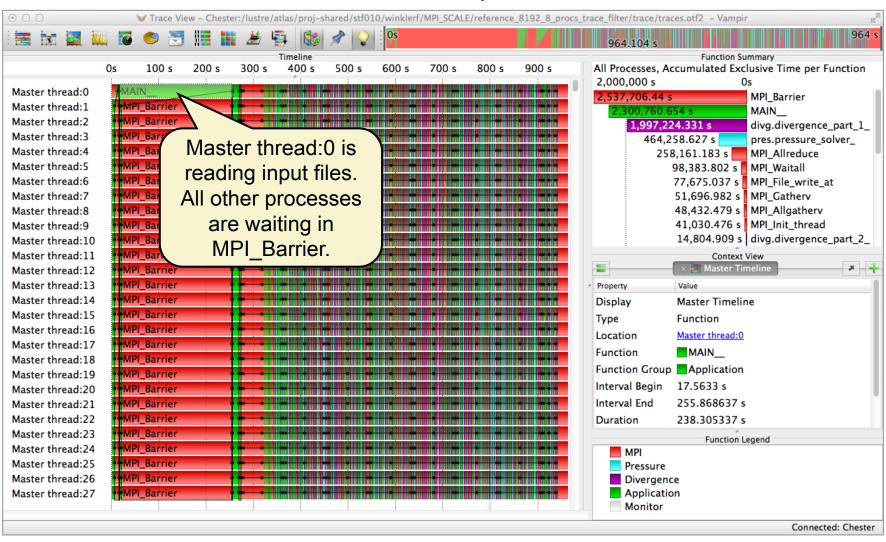




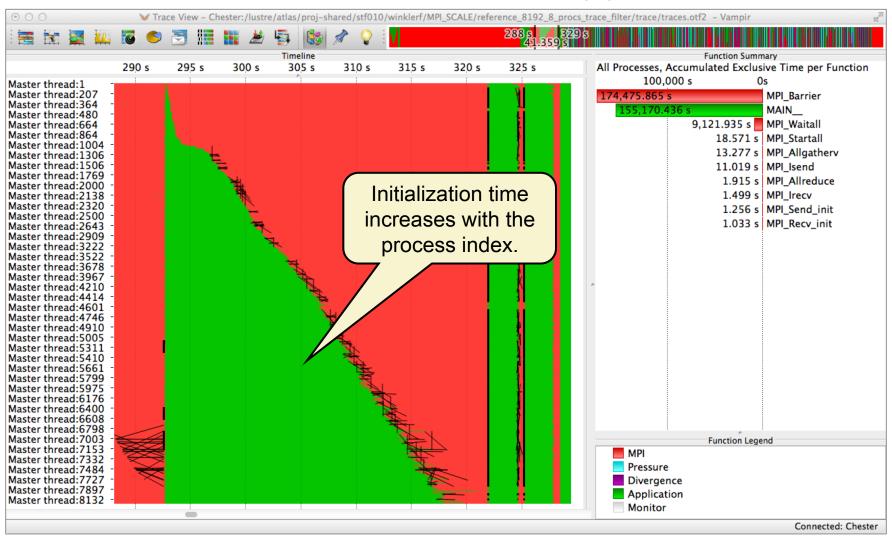
Indentification of program phases



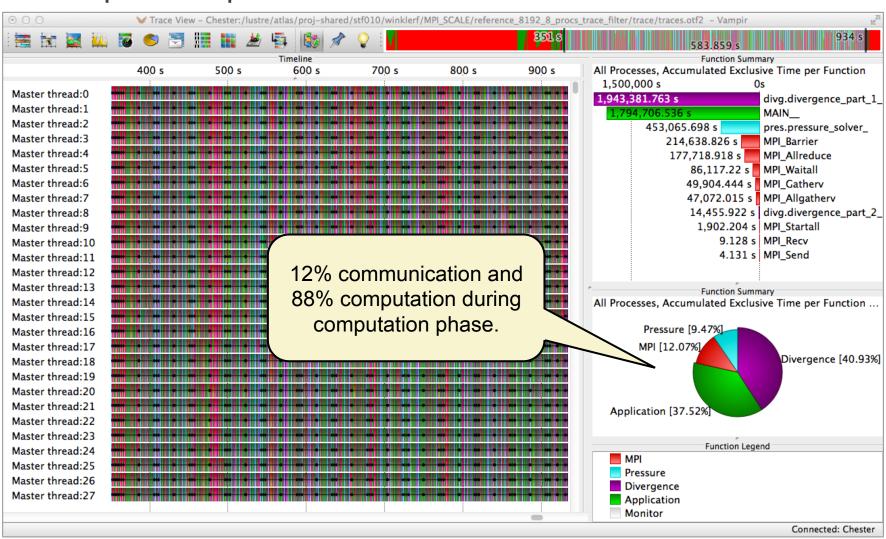
Load imbalance in initialization phase



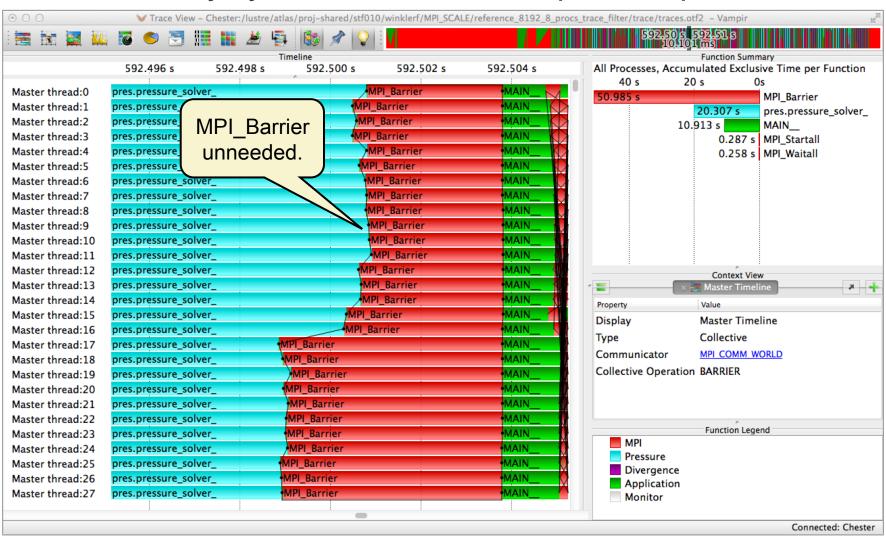
• Load imbalance in initialization phase (2)



Computation phase



Unnecessary synchronization in computation phase



Inefficient cache usage in computation phase

